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C O N F I D E N T I A L GEORGETOWN 0604

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, MMOL, GY, YO
SUBJECT: GUYANA DEFENCE FORCE (GDF) RECEIVES ARMS SHIPMENT

1. ACCORDING TO USUALLY RELIABLE EMBASSY SOURCE, M.V. LOVCEN
ARRIVED HERE MARCH 17 WITH CONSIGNMENT OF AMMUNITION FROM
YUGOSLAVIA. VESSEL REPORTEDLY CALLED AT BARRANQUILLA AND
PUERTO RICO PRIOR TO ARRIVAL GEORGETOWN. SHIPMENT REPORTEDLY
COMPRISED 695 CASES CONTAINING 850,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION,
202 CASES WITH 310,000 ROUNDS, AND 14,286 CASES WITH 1,750,000
ROUNDS.

2. AN OFFICIAL BRITISH SOURCE HAS CONFIRMED THAT FOUR LARGE
TRUCKS CARRIED LOADS OF ARMS AND AMMUNITION FROM THE
LOVCEN TO GDF HEADQUARTERS.

3. COMMENT: GDF REPORTEDLY ALSO RECEIVED ARMS AND
AMMUNITION FROM CUBA IN DECEMBER, 1976.

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